

DANIELSON AND PUTNAM NEWS

DANIELSON

Westerly Man Acquires Boston Store—Neighbors' Night at Brooklyn Grange—Funeral of Andrew D. Flagg—Programme for Memorial Exercises on Monday Next.

G. O. Benson leaves this morning for Great Barrington, where he is to be clerk at the Barrington Inn during the season.

Capt. E. L. Darbie will have the Thirtieth company, C. A. C., for the annual rifle practice today.

Mr. Warren May Be Principal.

Although not elected, Ernest Ross Warren, teacher of French and German at the high school, has been practically decided upon for principal by the town school committee.

Martin Mellor of Kennebunk, Me., was a visitor at his home here Wednesday.

Miss Rose A. Henderson of Springfield was a visitor with Danielson friends Wednesday.

Charles L. Darbie has been ill at his home for several days.

Henry A. Smith of Washington, D. C., was a visitor in Danielson Wednesday.

Putnam Suffragists Invited.

Mrs. Rensel Robinson has invited the members of the Putnam Equal Franchise league to hear Mrs. Thomas N. Heyburn speak at the meeting here Friday evening.

Burial in New York.

The body of Rhaplin Amato, 18 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Amato, of Canterbury, was forwarded to New York Wednesday.

Some members of the senior class of Killingly High school are to enter Brown university in the fall.

A number of local people will attend the Memorial exercises to be held at Abington Friday afternoon.

Quitting Bee.

A quitting party was held Wednesday afternoon by the Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church.

Westerly Man Acquires Business.

The Boston Dry Goods company has passed to the management of F. H. Ople of Westerly.

A flock of juncos, organized over night, provided convenient and cheap transportation to the circus grounds Wednesday.

The Williamsville team of the Textile league is a promising baseball organization and looks like a real pennant contender.

For Memorial day, the Shore Line Electric Railway company will arrange an augmented service on the local lines.

Grangers at Brooklyn.

Putnam, Wolf Den and Little River grange members were guests of Brooklyn grange at a neighbors' night meeting Tuesday and gave the programme.

Other granges represented were Killingly and Plainfield. Refreshments were served.

The K. H. S. baseball team will play Bartlett High school at Westerly this afternoon, this being the first meeting of the teams this year.

Music for graduation is now under rehearsal at the high school. As usual a large number of the students will be included in the chorus, the music to be made a feature of the exercises, as usual.

Important Debate Friday.

This school year's final meeting of the Marietta Kies Debating society of the high school is to be held Friday, and is of special interest, for at that time the juniors who are to conduct the society next year are to be selected.

Won Prizes at Whist.

At the weekly parish whist in St. James' hall, honors were won by Miss Marie Gaudette, Miss Rosanna Godreau, Mrs. L. E. Kennedy, Peter Barbeau, Mr. Oullette and Wilma Lacaille.

Rain Decreased Circus Attendance.

Frank A. Robbins' circus, an old-time favorite show with Danielson people, made its first appearance here in years Wednesday. Rain kept away many who had planned to see the tented exhibition, but those who went were well pleased, got their money's worth and enjoyed all the features that go to make this form of entertainment fascinating.

The show was one of the cleanest that has been in town. They got from their train to the grounds without the expected circus morning disturbance and in fifteen minutes their tents were up and ready to do business. The street parade, which got under way promptly at 10.30, was witnessed by a large number.

Features of the big show that were of special interest were the head-walking act and the leaping of the gap with a head jump. Daring aerialists, funny clowns, good animal acts and fine acrobats were combined to keep the show lively and interesting. The side shows held a lot of attention from many that went to the grounds and most of them found much to amuse them thereabouts.

The circus went from Danielson to Southbridge.

FUNERAL.

Andrew D. Flagg.

At St. Joseph's church in Dayville Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock Rev. Ignatius Kost was celebrant of a requiem mass at the funeral services for Andrew D. Flagg, 40, who died in Williamsville. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery. The bearers were Stephen Flagg, Henry Flagg, William Flagg, Wilfred Flagg, H. J. Flagg and Edmund Flagg.

MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAMME

issued by Arrangements Committee of McGregor Post, G. A. R., for Monday.

Following is the programme for Memorial day in Danielson:

The parade in the following order will form in front of G. A. R. hall Monday at 1 o'clock p. m.: Adjutant, A. Potter, marshal; St. James' band; Thirtieth company, Coast artillery, C. V. G., Capt. E. L. Darbie commanding; Ballouville Pipe and Drum corps; Edward Anderson camp, Sons of Veterans, Frank Stinson commanding;

PUTNAM

Methodist Circuit League Meeting—D. A. R. Members to Decorate Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves—Mrs. Ellen M. Bugbee Brings Suit Over Inn Valuation—Principal John Backus Resigns.

Miss Katherine R. Norris of New London was a visitor with friends in Putnam Wednesday.

At a session of the city court Wednesday morning, Judge Geisler presiding, a case of minor importance was disposed of.

Irving Miron was in Williamsville Wednesday on a business trip.

The Woonsocket Nationals play the Hammond-Knowlton team here Wednesday.

Rev. H. N. Brown of Danielson is to conduct services at the Pentecostal church here Sunday.

Patriotic Service.

Rev. J. R. Stubbett will address the patriotic organizations of the city at a union service at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

George A. Rowell of Pawtucket visited friends here Wednesday.

Holiday Post Office Hours.

Postmaster Alexander Gilman has announced that the post office will be open from 8.30 a. m. to 12 m. and from 5.30 to 7 p. m. Memorial day. There is to be one delivery by the city carriers. The rural service will be suspended.

Members of A. G. Warner post, G. A. R., are to meet at the high school building tomorrow morning at 8.30, and an effort is to be made to have as many as possible of the veterans present.

Circuit League Meeting.

A quarterly meeting of the Circuit league, made up of representatives of the Methodist churches in this city, Danielson, Jewett City, Sterling, Moosup and North Grosvenordale is to be held at the local Methodist church Saturday evening.

There will be an abundance of wild flowers for Memorial day uses this year, the frequent rains of the present month forcing a wealth of blooms.

Dr. S. B. Overlock, who underwent an operation last week, is gaining strength rapidly and is expected to be able to sit up in bed and read the news of the day.

D. A. R. Will Decorate Graves.

This afternoon members of Elizabeth Porter Putnam chapter, D. A. R., of this city, will go to East Woodstock to decorate the graves of Revolutionary soldiers.

The steady advance of the price of copper to present quotations will probably make it possible for the town school committee, when conditions seem most favorable, to dispose of a quantity of second-hand copper from one of the school buildings in the city.

Veterans of the Civil war resident in Pomfret have made arrangements for the observance of Memorial day next Sunday afternoon. Graves of soldiers of Spanish War Veterans;

color guard, W. R. C.; McGregor post, No. 2, Dept. of Conn., G. A. R.; George O. Whitman commanding; McGregor W. R. C., No. 44, Dept. of Conn., Lillian E. Bailey president.

March will be taken up for town hall, where the following programme will be rendered at 2 o'clock: Music, St. James' band; invocation, Comrade A. C. Green; singing, Mrs. C. A. Frost; reading of Department of Connecticut G. A. R. orders by Adjutant C. A. Potter; Lincoln's Gettysburg address, by Antonia Labonte; Killingly High school; Memorial day address by Rev. James C. King, formerly of Gettysburg, Pa.; music, St. James' band.

After the services in town hall, the line of march will be taken up for the Soldiers' monument at Davis park, where the salute to the honored dead will be given. Invocation by Rev. C. H. Barber. Taps will be sounded and the line of march will be taken up for Westfield and St. James' cemeteries.

At the bridge over the Five Mile river, on the way to the Westfield cemetery, a stop will be made and flowers will be strewn on the water in honor of members of the army and navy who lost their lives in the Civil war.

After the graves have been decorated in the Westfield and St. James' cemeteries, the line of march will be taken up for G. A. R. hall, where a collation will be served by members of the W. R. C.

Per order of Memorial day committee, Comrades Whitman, Page, Potter, Pond, Rapp, Bowen and Greene.

BANKS WILL CONSOLIDATE.

Brooklyn and Windham County Savings Banks Vote Merger Wednesday—Name to Be Brooklyn Savings Bank.

With eleven out of twelve trustees present at a special meeting Wednesday afternoon, the board of the Brooklyn Savings bank voted unanimously in favor of consolidating with the Windham County Savings bank under the name of the Brooklyn Savings bank. The action followed the making of a merger proposition some time since to the Brooklyn bank officials by a committee of the Windham County Savings bank, which had been anticipated to do so at the annual meeting. Wednesday's action has been anticipated, so it was not a surprise.

The consolidation will be brought about in accordance with the laws of the state provided for such cases and it is expected it will be completed by July 1.

It will undoubtedly be a benefit to the community in general and to the depositors of the Windham County Savings bank in particular, for the strength and credit of the Brooklyn Savings bank may be considered as applied to the Windham County Savings bank which was organized in the early 80s.

The announcement that the consolidation is to be effective was received with great satisfaction by the depositors here of the bank to be absorbed. The consolidation is taken on the whole as happily disposing of a matter of considerable importance to Danielson.



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Decision for Affirmative.

Debating at the high school on the subject, Resolved, That There Should Be a Prompt and Substantial Increase in Army and Navy of the United States, the affirmative side was declared the winner. The affirmative was upheld by Malcolm Willey, Gould Beard, Joseph Flagg, their alternates being Bella Davis and Donald Johnson. The negative side was argued by Ruth Child, Hazel Perry, Percy Richardson; alternates, Florence Gilbert and William Rafferty. Gilbert Perry was chairman. The judges were Mrs. P. J. Daniels, Mr. Bellows of Tourtellotte high school and Mr. Lobey of Webster high school.

The following are the newly elected officers of Alpha Delta Sunday school class: Teacher, Miss Mary Wheaton; president, Marion Carpenter; vice president, Elizabeth Hayward; secretary, Irma Greene; treasurer, Dorothy Wright.

Writing from Eastford, A. M. Bowen says relative to an incident in that town: "This free suit will get the women folks on the high limb, we are afraid. Not all, by any means; there are exceptions in all cases."

Cargill council, K. of C., will be represented at a meeting for the conferring of the fourth degree in Norwich Sunday.

There is nothing new to announce relative to the plan for giving public playgrounds for the children this summer, but as soon as possible it is hoped that the preliminary work will have been accomplished and the scheme developed. There is favorable interest in the plan, which will probably have strong backing.

CLAIMS VALUATION EXCESSIVE.

Mrs. Ellen M. Bugbee Appeals from Assessors' Increase of Over \$15,000.

Mrs. Ellen M. Bugbee has brought suit against the city in an appeal from the valuation placed on the Putnam Inn property by the assessors and confirmed by the board of relief. The property is in this year for \$29,150, an increase over last year of \$15,450. Mrs. Bugbee claims the assessment excessive and asks for a reduction. The assessors, it is claimed, based their assessment on the income of the building and assessing at 80 per cent. thereof.

TWO RESIGNATIONS RECEIVED.

Principal John Backus to Leave High School—Miss White Resigns.

Principal John Backus of the Putnam high school has sent the following resignation to the school board: The Board of Education, Putnam, Conn.

Dear Sirs: At a recent meeting of the school committee at South Manchester, I received an election to the principalship of their school; work to begin next September. After a careful and thoughtful consideration of all questions concerned I have accepted the election.

I wish to thank the committee for the assistance it has given me during my stay in Putnam. The school is in excellent condition and ranks with the best in the state, but there are a number of problems that need your early consideration. I sincerely hope that you will solve these problems in a way that will maintain the present high standard of efficiency in the Putnam High school.

Very Sincerely,
JOHN A. BACKUS.

Miss Mary B. White teacher of the intermediary grade of the Smith street school has sent her resignation to the board. She is to teach in Hartford.

NOANK

Spotlight Social—Liberty Council Entertains—Graduating Exercises to Be Held June 11th.

Wednesday evening a spotlight dance was given at the firemen's hall with a large attendance, many from out of town. The committee for the affair was Fred Fitzpatrick and Walter McDonald.

D. of A. Entertainment.

Liberty council, Daughters of America, gave an entertainment Wednesday night to the members of the G. A. R. and their wives and families. The Camp Fire Girls assisted in the programme. Refreshments were served at the close.

The Blue Birds held a campfire meeting Tuesday evening and honors for the month were awarded.

Capt. B. W. Latham arrived on the schooner Star from a fishing trip. David Doyle has received a large motortruck.

The graduating exercises of the Noank school will be held in the Baptist church June 11, in the evening.

Village Interests.

Capt. and Mrs. James Sistare and Miss Viola Sistare have been visiting in Hartford.

The foundation for the bungalow building for A. V. Morgan is in and the framework is going up.

Miss Cornelia Fowler has returned to her home in New London.

Mrs. William Johnson will be hostess this (Thursday) afternoon for the Women's guild of Grace church.

Prof. Everett Fitch has returned to his home in New Haven.

Yacht Sybil, Captain Jensen, is preparing for a salmon trip to Labrador.

Capt. J. P. Brown has purchased a small power boat to be used for pleasure.

Freeman Rogers has returned from Williamsville.

Ernest Sweet has entered the employ of Dr. T. B. Enders on Enders' island.

Miss Sadie Weaver of Dodgeville, R. I., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Silas Weaver.

Mrs. Eugene Smith of Norwich has been visiting here.

Miss Margaret Gillis of Boston is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Austin Gillis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Johnston and sons of New Jersey are visiting here. Miss Mabel Fitch is seriously ill.

Mrs. B. W. Latham and Miss Ethel Latham have been visiting in Bridgeport.

Elmer Davis has resigned as manager of the Munger market. Mr. Williams of Mystic succeeds him.

Charles Patterson will be employed in the C. M. Chester store on Groton Long Point this summer.

Mrs. F. I. Rathbun has returned from Westerly.

Hartford.—The city reservoirs showed a net gain yesterday morning of 1,500,000 gallons over the consumption of 9,750,000 gallons. The amount now in storage is 1,900,000 gallons. The rainfall Monday was distributed as follows: Reservoir No. 1, .15 inch; No. 4, .15 inch; No. 6, .08 inch.

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